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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No: 09/638,051	§	Examiner: Parton, Kevin S.
Filed: August 11, 2000	§	Group/Art Unit: 2153
Inventor(s):	§	Atty. Dkt. No: 5150-39300
David W. Madden and Aljosa Vrancic	§	
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING DATA OVER AN EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION MEDIUM	§	
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
FEBRUARY 18, 2005

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of February 18, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.